

## Message Text

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ACTION NEA-11

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 EUR-12 ISO-00 PM-05 SS-15 L-03  
NSCE-00 INRE-00 CIAE-00 INR-10 NSAE-00 SP-02  
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FM AMEMBASSY RABAT  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5511  
INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY KINSHASA IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY PARIS IMMEDIATE  
USMISSION USNATO IMMEDIATE  
CINCUSAFFE RAMSTEIN AB IMMEDIATE  
USCINCEUR VAIHINGEN GE IMMEDIATE  
SECDEF WASHDC IMMEDIATE

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E. O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: OCLR, MO, MOPS  
SUBJ: MOROCCAN CLAIMS OF UNAUTHORIZED USAF OVERFLIGHTS

REF: A. RABAT 2985 (DTG 211215Z), B. STATE 127838 (DTG 201833Z)

IN FOLLOW-UP CONVERSATION WITH FOREIGN MINISTER BOUCETTA  
MAY 22, AMBASSADOR REVEIWED SUBSTANCE OF REFTEL B.  
BOUCETTA INDICATED HE HAD ALREADY BEEN BRIEFED ON US  
RESPONSE BY MFA DIRECTOR FOR AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN  
AFFAIRS BELKORA (REFTEL A). BOUCETTA STATED THAT  
HE CONSIDERED THE MATTER CLOSED. IN RESPONSE TO  
POINT THAT USAF PLANES WILL CONTINUE TO BE INSTRUCTED  
TO AVOID OVERFLIGHT OF MOROCCAN TERRITORY, BOUCETTA  
STATED THAT HIS ORIGINAL CONCERN HAD BEEN NOTIFI-  
CATION IN ADVANCE, NOT A DESIRE THAT US AIRCRAFT  
AVOID MOROCCAN TERRITORY. HE STRESSED THAT MOROCCO WAS  
FULLY PREPARED TO COOPERATE, BUT WISHED TO BE ASKED  
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REGARDING ANY NEED FOR OVERFLIGHTS.  
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## Message Attributes

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